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Volunteer Firemen Lease Fennel Estate And Will Conduct Wistaria Fetes

Five-Year Contract Effective Today When They Take Control Of Property

Sierra Madre's volunteer fire department will direct the Wistaria Fete during the next five years.

The firemen concluded an arrangement to this effect yesterday with Mrs. H. T. Fennel, owner of the property at Hermosa and Carter avenues on which grows the great wistaria vine about which the annual fete centers.

Today they will assume control of the estate under the terms of a lease with Mrs. Fennel and at once begin to prepare the grounds for next year's and subsequent festivals.

Guy F. Scott, a member of the fire department, will move into the Fennel home as custodian and begin to execute a number of changes in the planting of the estate and the installation of conveniences for Fete visitors that will permit of the handling of a greater number of people than heretofore. It is expected the Olympic games tourists will be here at about the time the wistaria blooms again and that more people than ever before must be accommodated.

Negotiations between Mrs. Fennel and a committee of the firemen consisting of Chief W. D. Richards, George Norris and Frank Lovell began at the close of the Fete this year and the lease closed now so that there may be ample time to make preparations that the firemen have decided upon.

During the last three years the fete has been held under the auspices of the Woman's Club, which had an agreement with the Fennel estate covering that period. The firemen handled the parking concession and divided the proceeds with the club. This year for the first time an admission to the Fennel grounds was charged and enough money raised to pay off a mortgage on the Woman's clubhouse.

The fireman's committee announced on the signing of their lease yesterday that they propose to make the annual event a community affair to a greater extent than ever before and that the proceeds will go into the fund for the relief of deserving needy cases, for the community Christmas celebration and for the rebuilding of the fire department. A portion of their proceeds from the parking privilege at past fetes has gone toward the purchase of two pieces of fire equipment, the acquisition of which had much to do with the recently announced reduction in insurance rates here.

GIFT OF JAPANESE TO BE RECOGNIZED AT SCHOOL AFFAIR

In recognition of their recent gift to Sierra Madre Grammar School, the Japanese colony of Sierra Madre will be entertained at a Japanese tea at the school patio Friday afternoon, June 12, Miss Elizabeth Steinberger has announced.

Thomas R. Fleming, Long Beach collector of rare Japanese prints, will display some of his most valuable exhibits in an illustrated talk after the tea and luncheon, to which the public at large has been invited. Mrs. Fred Griebow, art chairman of the Woman's club, arranged for Mr. Fleming's appearance. Children of the school art classes, who have been experimenting with block-print and wood-cut work for several months now, will be given opportunity to hear the noted collector.

The Japanese guests of honor for the afternoon joined together and built with their own hands a tasteful fish pond and lily pool which they donated to the school in appreciation for educational advantages their children enjoy in the new structure.

GOVERNMENT WILL ABANDON ROSS FIELD

President Hoover's most recent economy drive hit close to Sierra Madre. The order this week compelling to abandonment of between 20 and 30 army posts throughout the country includes Ross Field in Arcadia, long a subject of dissension in the nearby city.

Ross Field, with two large dirigible hangars and barracks for thousands of troops, was used as a balloon school during the World War. As the barracks and field fell into disuse later, Arcadia residents protested against ugliness of the buildings, and in 1929 the field was condemned as an "eyesore" by the Board of Supervisors.

PERMIT IS ISSUED FOR A RIFLE RANGE

Sierra Madre sharpshooters will no longer have to motor to Pasadena or Long Beach to practice on a regulation range. City Council on Wednesday night granted the growing rifle group permission to operate a target range in the north part of the city.

A petition signed by 25 members of the rifle club asked permission to build the range on the E. A. Calvert tract in the foothills. The site is so situated that reports of the rifles can barely be heard by residents of the section, it was stated. Scenic Point property-holders have agreed to the project, the Council was told.

"We pledge ourselves to maintain a decent range, and to keep order at all times," the agreement submitted by the club avers. "Should our conduct be such as to cause complaint from any residents, we agree to remove the equipment and cease to operate the range, upon order of the City Council."

Headed by Ben Stinman and Vincent Fleming, the rifle club members were busy installing equipment on the new site yesterday. Target events for the first shoot will be announced within the next few days.

Fellowship Holds Dance; Guild A Tea

New Episcopal Church Club Organized And Many Social Events Planned

A dance to which the whole community is invited will be held this evening by the Young Peoples' Fellowship Society of the Church of the Ascension at the Church Parish House.

The Women's Guild of the church is arranging a bridge tea to be held in the Parish House on Friday afternoon, May 22nd.

In view of the fact that this will be the first entertainment given under the auspices of the Guild in some months, a large attendance is expected. As Dean Arnold G. H. Bode and his family are moving into the rectory this coming Monday, the bridge party will afford many of the ladies of Sierra Madre a pleasant opportunity of meeting Mrs. Bode.

Hostesses for this evening's Fellowship dance will be Catherine McClelland, Jane Holland, Angeline Per Lee, Beatrice McClelland, Edith Hawks and Virginia Roess. If this dance is successful, the Fellowship plans to repeat them twice a month until the summer outdoor dances begin in the City Park.

The Young people met on Monday evening at the Parish House and reorganized the club with the election of these officers: Craig McLaughlin, president; Catherine McClelland, vice-president; Edith Hawks, secretary and Donald Pegler, treasurer.

The Fellowship has many plans, which will not be made public until the arrival and approval by Dean Bode on May 31.

Mrs. S. M. McClelland and Mrs. John H. Robertson are counselors for the society and will be present this evening.

The card tables at the Guild's tea on May 22 will be in charge of Mrs. T. H. Flather and Miss Edna Green; prizes, Mrs. F. H. Worthington; refreshments, Mrs. M. D. Welsher, Mrs. W. C. Shaw, Mrs. J. N. Hawks, Mrs. H. H. Holland and Mrs. Philip Senour; general courtesy, Mrs. W. W. Murphy and Mrs. W. H. Murray.

TRAIL INN IS RAIDED ON A LIQUOR CHARGE

Sierra Madre police and a federal officer raided "Trail Inn," 167 Mira Monte avenue, last Tuesday afternoon, arresting Mrs. Elizabeth Stoppel, proprietor, and Eddie Hebert, an employee, on charges of possession and sale of liquor. Posting \$100 bail each, the two were arraigned for trial Thursday afternoon in City Court, but judgment was postponed until 2 o'clock next Monday afternoon on request of their attorney for more time to prepare his case.

MISSOURIANS TO HOLD BIG PICNIC REUNION

Every Missourian is included in the call to a big annual beach picnic reunion under the auspices of the Missouri State Society of Southern California. It will be held in Bixby Park, Long Beach, all day, Saturday, May 23rd.

Open Pool, Start Swimming Season Saturday, May 23

Sierra Madre's civic bathtub has been scrubbed, chemically cleaned and filled to the brim with cool canyon waters for the crowd of bathers expected to take advantage of the free swimming offer at the opening of the municipal plunge on Saturday, May 23, at 10 o'clock.

Volunteer firemen turned out in force at last Friday night's drill to wash and scrub the pool walls. With water supplied from the same mountain source as of former seasons, past conditions of coolness and cleanliness will prevail.

A number of improvements have been added to the plunge. To eliminate wind a large curtain will be stretched across the south end of the pool. A new spring-board is being installed for the opening, and as the season progresses other equipment will be added. Food and drink concessions are handy, and showers, rented suits and steel lockers are available.

Safety of beginners and small swimmers will be secured by presence of a competent lifeguard, James Heasley, lessee, stated yesterday.

Feast Of St. Rita Begins Here Sunday

Thousands Of Pilgrims Expected To Make Annual Visit To The Shrine

Thousands of pilgrims from all parts of the world will come to Sierra Madre next Sunday, May 17, and during ensuing weeks, to visit the Shrine of St. Rita on North Baldwin avenue.

Ceremonies of the Feast of St. Rita will begin with masses at 7, 9 and 11 o'clock Sunday morning. In the afternoon, devotions include the blessing of celebrants with the relic of St. Rita and distribution and blessing of the roses at 3:30 o'clock, a ceremony which dates back over 400 years to an incident in the life of the famous Augustine nun, patron saint of the church.

Rev. Father Cyprian Frank, recently returned from China, will officiate on Sunday. Father Frank was one of twelve to whom departure services were given at St. Rita's in 1924.

Ladies of St. Rita's Altar Society have prepared refreshments and luncheons which will be served to the steady crowds expected all day Sunday. In previous years, between 600 and 800 pilgrims a day have come to Sierra Madre during the period of the feast.

Marvelous cures have been attributed to the patron saint, who died in Cascia, Italy, in 1456, and was canonized in 1900.

SIERRA MADREANS HAVE ROLES IN PLAY AT WILSON JUNIOR HI

"A Kiss for Cinderella," to be presented next Wednesday and Friday by the members of the senior dramatics club of the Woodrow Wilson Junior High school, will be one of the most fascinating and humorous plays ever given by the school.

The various roles give the students an excellent chance to display their real dramatic ability. Miss Maybelle Platz, director, and her assistants are very proud of the way in which the cast has progressed.

The cast, which includes a number of local children, is as follows:

Cinderella, Sadie Sellars; Policeman, Tyrell Glib; Mr. Bode, Gustav Jarecki; Dr. Bode, Martha Cronley; Probationer, Ruth Henry; Danny Joe Shapiro; king, George Slingmeyer; queen, Kathleen Moote; Lord Times, Leslie Wakefield; Lord Mayor, Harold Frost; a man, Herbert Quick; a gentleman, Robert Nelson; Marian, Mary Solnit; maid, Elizabeth Burman; penguin, Walter Moore; god-mother, Mary Ann Daily; Mrs. Maloney, Ray Yancy, and fair ladies, Norma List, Virginia Boyle, Marie Hahn and Sophie Stamer.

LOCAL PLAYWRIGHT PRODUCES ANOTHER PIECE IN PASADENA

Another play, "What the World Wants," written by Henry Gordon, Sierra Madre playwright, will be presented tomorrow evening at the Pasadena Community Woodshop. On the heels of "The Devil's Side Show," which achieved a distinct success and recognition for its clever author at its premier at the Theatre Mart, Hollywood, last week, "What the World Wants," promises to have skillfully maneuvered suspense and comedy plot.

Weed War Is Declared By Council

Forty Per Cent Of Removal Cost Will Be Added For Work Done By City

Sierra Madre's city government has declared its annual war on ugliness and fire. Notices have been sent to 1300 citizens calling on them to attack unsightly, dangerous, weed-grown lots with hoe and plow before May 21, after which date the city will enter the field itself and assess battle costs against property holders.

It will cost lot owners just 40 per cent more to have the city do their fighting for them, City Engineer Earl J. Lynde declared at a City Council meeting Wednesday night. Extra costs go toward paying for warning notices posted and communications mailed to the landholders, besides bookkeeping and other expenses, he explained.

The next Council meeting, May 20, has been set as the date on which protests will be heard against the city doing the work, to begin on the 21st. After all lots have been cleaned, charges will be posted on a city hall bulletin board, and a further protest date set for the hearing on disputed costs. The cost automatically becomes a part of the tax assessed against each property.

Property owners inclined to grumble about the weed cleaning expenses are reminded that the work will furnish employment to many deserving persons. A telephone call to City Hall unemployment headquarters now will serve a double purpose, giving work to one of the 120 jobless on the city register, and saving time, money and legal complications later for the lot owner.

'No Parking' Signs Will Go Up Around School Building

Development of Sierra Madre's new school as a cultural and recreational center is responsible for a request by the School Board to the City Council that provisions of the new traffic code be enforced near the three entrances to the new building.

The Board, through Mrs. Cecily Allen, secretary, asked the City Council Wednesday night to designate no-parking zones in front of Highland, Hermosa and Auburn avenue doorways, as a convenience and safety measure. It is already against the law to park in front of the entrance to a public building. The request was referred to City Attorney Dodson for investigation and report. Discussion at the meeting indicated that no-parking warnings will be installed on the street soon.

Mrs. Allen said yesterday that an incident several weeks ago was responsible for the enforcement request. At a school entertainment then, a machine bearing a party of elderly people could not approach the curb on any of the three streets bounding the building. Furthermore, the trustees point out, space should always be left in front of the school for equipment in case of fire or other emergency.

PET POISONER IS SOUGHT BY POLICE

Dog poisoners have started their work in Sierra Madre again, killing several faithful pets in various parts of town this week.

Police started an extensive search yesterday to find out who gave a powerful dose of strychnine to "Pep," eight-year old canine friend and companion of Rudolph Hartman. Hartman's dog died on Tuesday. On Wednesday H. H. Steinberger's "Mike" died of a similar poison dose. Both dogs were fox terriers.

Several other pets have been killed with strychnine in the past few days. Stating that a similar series of poisonings occurred last year, Chief of Police Gordon McMillan said yesterday that every possible effort is being made to apprehend the offender, who faces a stiff jail sentence and fine.

MONROVIA'S PAGEANT WILL BE COLORFUL

Sierra Madreans, planning a pageant of their own later this summer, are interested in the Play-a-Day in Monrovia program tomorrow, Saturday, May 16, and many persons from this city plan to see the gypsy parade and other events of the fiesta.

A gypsy caravan five blocks long is to feature the fiesta. Flower girls, horse wranglers, singers and noted Arabian horses of the Kellogg Ranch near Puente will add color and movement to the festival.

Gordon Brooks of 137 West Montecito avenue, has been summoned for service on the Los Angeles County grand jury.

SIERRA MADRE AND PASADENA LEGION TEAMS WILL OPEN BASE BALL SEASON HERE TONIGHT

With a brilliant win, the first game of the 18th District League series, already chalked up to its credit, Sierra Madre's American Legion baseball team will meet one of the strongest outfits in the league tonight, inaugurating the league season in Sierra Madre.

The local players, who won by 16 to 6 from Arcadia last Friday night in a game attended by over a hundred enthusiastic fans from this city, are all set to play the crack Pasadena American Legion team at the playground diamond at the school here tonight. A big turnout is expected at 8 o'clock for the initial contest at the new field, where a grandstand has been erected to accommodate the spectators who will view the summer series.

With the addition of the seating arrangements, and completion of the lighting system last week, Sierra Madre now has one of the finest community sports centers in the valley, civic leaders here say.

At Wednesday night's Council meeting, word was given out that another night recreation feature will soon be available, with installation of lights above the City Park horse-shoe courts, adjoining the lighted tennis courts. A horse-shoe tournament will begin as soon as special reflectors, now being made, are received.

Players and baseball fans generally are grateful to the School Board and City Council for wholehearted cooperation in the program to afford recreation here.

Both groups have made every move possible, viewing the summer entertainment plans as of great civic importance.

Judging by the Arcadia game last week, fans will see a fast and exciting event at the school tonight. Sierra Madre's Legion team has some brilliant hitters and a star pitcher in its ranks. In the contest last Friday, Minor Harkness, Roy Shelter and Art Evans batted out a homer apiece, and Waverly Pratt's fast pitching marked up 18 strike-outs.

The Sierra Madre team lineup against Arcadia was as follows: Evans, catcher; Pratt, pitcher; Pickett, first base; Taylor, second base; Reavis, short-stop; Harkness, third base; Shelter, left field; Olsen, center field, and Hill, right field.

During the latter part of the game Noshier replaced Shelter in left field; Irwin replaced Olsen in center field and Fleming took the place of Hill in right field. The lineup will remain substantially the same for tonight's game.

Win or lose tonight, the Legion faces a tough contest at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday night, according to Emile Smith, who has organized "Smith's All Star" baseball team, and challenged the veteran's group for the next game on the diamond. The "All-Star" lineup is being kept a dark secret until Tuesday night when, according to Smith, baseball fans will be surprised.

Tentative plans for Memorial Day services, announced by Legion leaders yesterday, include a military procession in which children from Sierra Madre Grammar School and St. Rita's parochial school, will join. The grammar schools' newly organized band has been asked to march and furnish music.

Graves will be decorated with flags and wreaths made by ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary and the Legion firing squad and buglers will participate in solemn memorial ceremonies.

The cemetery itself will be clear of weeds as the result of a clean-up drive sponsored by Legionnaires during the past two weeks. Beginning Monday, crews paid by popular subscription have been clearing the grounds.

Sierra Madre churches and civic groups are expected to take part in the Saturday services. According to annual custom, the Friendship Club of Congregational Church will place floral offerings on the graves. Anyone wishing to give flowers for that purpose should call Mrs. Joseph Stimfing, whose telephone number is 177-3.

MORE IDEAL WEATHER IS WEEK-END PROMISE

Recent cloudy mornings, of great benefit to fruit growers, will probably continue during the coming week, Colonel H. B. Hersey of the government weather station here said this morning.

Fair weather is expected during the next few days, with high fog in the mornings and moderate temperatures.

Weather conditions are said to be ideal at present for Sierra Madre avocado and citrus growers. Bright, hot weather at this time would cause young fruit just forming to drop, whereas moderate weather conditions will allow the fruit to "set" and make for large production in the late summer and fall, expert growers here declare.

HERBERT GRAMMEL WINS RECOGNITION FOR ESSAY

Herbert Grammel, son of Benjamin Grammel, 669 Sturtevant Drive, was one of 18 prize winners who trooped onto the stage at the Fox Colorado Theatre in Pasadena last Wednesday night to receive awards sponsored by the Pasadena Drama League. Joining a city-wide contest open to junior and senior high school students, Herbert won honorable mention for his essay on "The Big Trail."

Mrs. Ellen Coll Barker, school nurse, will tell about the health of the children in the local school at the May meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association to be held at the Sierra Madre Grammar School next Wednesday afternoon. This will be one of the most important meetings of the year, as officers for the next year will be nominated. The meeting will conclude with a social hour in which the parents will have an opportunity to become acquainted with their children's teachers and each other. Dainty refreshments will be served.

No Contest For Woman's Club Offices

Nominating Committees Report Unanimously Accepted—To Burn Mortgage

By MRS. WAVERLY E. PRATT

Officers of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club for the coming year will be chosen at the next club meeting without the formality of a ballot and with no little ceremony the mortgage on the club's property on West Central avenue will be burned.

The report of the nominating committee consisting of Mrs. Elmer A. Green, chairman, Mrs. Frank Hart and Mrs. E. D. Burbank was accepted unanimously and with applause at the monthly meeting of the club on Wednesday. No nominations were made from the floor and the following officers will be elected at the next meeting:

President—Miss Virginia May Jones.

First vice-president—Mrs. W. C. Dalzell.

Second vice-president—Mrs. Nestor A. Young.

Treasurer—Mrs. May Farman.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Gilbert S. Bovard.

Recording Secretary—Miss Edna R. Green.

Auditor—Mrs. M. R. McBurney. Four Board members—Mrs. Woodson F. Jones, Mrs. George Lehner, Mrs. Emile E. Smith and Mrs. Milford Thompson.

Each name as it was read by Mrs. Green, brought forth hearty applause from the members.

Further approval was given by the fact that no other nominations were received. There being only one nominee for each office it was moved and seconded that, next club day, the officers be elected by viva voce vote. This will eliminate voting by ballot.

Mrs. H. B. Hersey and Mrs. Waverly E. Pratt were appointed to arrange an appropriate celebration at the year's last club meeting for the burning of the mortgage which was paid off from proceeds of this year's Wistaria Fete.

The Lyric Trio of Los Angeles, composed of the following members: Mary Teitsworth, soprano; Nellie Walker, mezzo soprano; Cornelia Glover, contralto and Dorothy Robinson, pianist, were presented by Miss Laura Cadmus, program chairman.

The first ensemble numbers were sung in colonial costumes, and the second ensemble group in Russian costumes, with Russian music.

Each member of the group contributed solo numbers and Miss

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MOUNTAIN RATTLERS MENACE WOMAN AND BOY WHO IS INJURED

Rattlesnakes in the mountains behind Sierra Madre menaced two residents during the week. "Buster" Thomas, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Thomas, 354 Sycamore Place, narrowly escaping death.

Riding on a steep mountain trail on Monday, "Buster's" horse reared suddenly at a snake coiled beside the path and fell backward over the cliff, crushing the lad against a tree. He lay unconscious with a broken collar bone for over an hour. On recovering consciousness he recaptured his horse and rode five miles down the steep trail before reaching first aid.

On Friday while on a morning hike through Bailey Canyon, Mrs. M. R. Englander, who lives at 377 North Lima street, was startled to see a rattlesnake in her path. Remaining cool in the emergency, Mrs. Englander stoned the reptile to death. The snake bore six rattles and a button, and was later presented to a Woodrow Wilson Junior High School biology class.

WOMEN INVITED TO MEN'S CLUB DINNER

Much interest is being shown in the forthcoming dinner of the Men's Community Club to be held at 6:30 on the evening of Thursday, May 21st in the social hall of the Congregational Church. On this occasion the ladies are also invited for the dinner and to hear President Walter F. Dexter of Whittier College, noted as a speaker of unusual force and interest, who will give impressions from his experiences as the head of a co-educational college which is rapidly taking its place as a leading institution of the Southwest.

Announcements will also be made concerning the plans for the projected pageant in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Sierra Madre, to be staged by the Men's Club in conjunction with the recently formed Historical Society.

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Be kindly affectioned one to
another with brotherly love.—
Rom. XII:10.

All usefulness and all comfort
may be prevented by an unkind,
a sour, crabbed temper of mind—
a mind that can bear with no differ-
ence of opinion or temperament.
A spirit of fault-finding; an un-
satisfied temper; a constant irri-
tability; little inequalities in the
look, the temper, or the manner;
a brow cloudy and dissatisfied—
your husband or your wife cannot
tell why—will more than neu-
tralize all the good you can do,
and render life anything but a
blessing.—Albert Barnes.

BONDS DOUBLE COST

The net bonded debt of cities
of the United States has in-
creased from less than \$2,000,000,
in 1913 to an estimated
amount of over \$12,000,000 in
1930, the rate of increase being
about \$750,000,000 per year over
retirements. This represents al-
most a 500 per cent increase in
bonded debt for local governments
in a period of 17 years.

The bonded debts of the state,
county and municipal govern-
ments of California increased
from \$93,906,423 in 1911 to \$781,
407,305 in 1929, an increase of
732 per cent. The population of
California in 1911 was 2,344,000—
in 1929 it was 5,496,000, an in-
crease of only 126 per cent.

This tremendous growth in
bonded debt over that of popula-
tion is causing an ever-increasing
proportion of governmental ex-
penditures to be devoted to debt
service.

The use of bonds over a long
period of years is a very expen-
sive proceeding. For example, the
use of 40-year serial bonds bear-
ing interest at 5 per cent more
than doubles the cost of the im-
provement. For every dollar ac-
tually used in building or acquir-
ing the improvement, \$1.02½ has
to be paid in interest, in addition
to the original dollar borrowed.

If the people in issuing bonds
would insist on a short term for
the bonds, the cost would be
greatly reduced. In the above
case, if the term was reduced to
10 years, the interest charge
would be reduced from \$1.02½
for each dollar borrowed to 27½
cents. In a bond of \$1,000,000,
this saving in interest would
amount to \$750,000.

—The Tax Digest.

MANY HIKE TO MOUNTAIN
CAMP BIRTHDAY PARTY

Over 250 people hiked to Or-
chard Camp over the weekend to
celebrate the birthday of Mrs.
Margaret Reynolds of Orchard
Camp, and the 68th anniversary
of the founding of the camp.
Many beautiful presents were
showered upon Mrs. Reynolds.
Mrs. Henrietta Strain of Hermosa
Beach, owner of the acreage at
the camp, and her niece, Miss
Agnes Smith, were among the
honor guests.

WHY THAT NEXT WAR?
NEWS READER ASKS

Editor, The Sierra Madre News,
Sierra Madre, Calif.
Sir:

Hardly can one pick up one's
morning paper without some
scare head line striking the eye
as to the "Next War."

In spite of having fought to a
finish the late "war to end war"
it would seem from the para-
graphing prophets that another
War, far more devilish and de-
structive than the last, is immin-
ent and inevitable. Professing
trust in, and giving lip service
to, the Prince of Peace their
real belief is in Inexorable Fate,
"that which hath been it is that
which shall be."

Is poor Humanity so helpless?
Our late President voiced a dif-
ferent program. Said he: "It is
for the generation that survived
the world war to devise measures
of prevention. If we fail in this
we shall deserve all the disaster
which will surely be visited on us
because of our failure."

Today our President tells the
International Chamber of Com-
merce of the "failure to secure
Peace through either competitive
arms or intimidation."

Across the water a British am-
bassador tells that he concurred
with the German Foreign minister
that the "mismanagement and
stupidity" of all the statesmen
concerned caused the late World
War. To this Lloyd George adds
that their motives call for the
"withering contempt of humani-
ty." Today these same "statesmen"

are endeavoring to persuade the
public that every nation is en-
dangered by the armaments of
every other, Britain endangered
by America, America endangered
by Japan, Italy by France, etc.

By the Kellogg Pact all nations
foreswore war. Obviously, then
President Hoover's counsel, dis-
armament, is not only logical but
wise and possible; the disarmed
Northern border line of the U.S.A.,
where neither nation has fired
shot or drawn sword in over a
century, being not only an in-
spiring demonstration of possi-
bility, but an example which the
world must follow.

Justice, not Force, must and
will ensure Peace; and the
World's Public Opinion be mobil-
ized to condemn the idiocy of
War. Armies and navies have
failed! Try Common Sense!
(Signed) EDWARD BERWICK.

WHAT GAS TAX MEANS
TO THE MILEAGE RATE

Not so many years ago the
country was honeycombed with
toll roads. The motorist, in the
course of a day's travel, could
pay out a good many dollars for
the privilege of using them.

Now toll roads are few and far
between. But the motorist pays a
greater toll than he paid in the
old days. The modern toll is the
gasoline tax.

In states where a three-cent
tax is in effect, the average driv-
er must thus pay a cent every
time he goes four miles. Under a
six-cent tax he pays a cent every
two miles. In the latter instance,
if he drives 400 miles a day, he
must pay \$2 in tolls. These tolls
now aggregate more than \$500,
000,000 a year, and they are con-
stantly increasing.

USEFULNESS OF LOCAL
LIBRARY IS GROWING

A circulation of 4335 volumes
from the Public Library during
April, of which 3425 were adult
books and 910 juvenile books was
reported by Miss Lulu Moore,
librarian. Last year the circula-
tion for the same month was
4095, showing a gain of 240 vol-
umes for this year or 5 per cent.
Percentage of adult fiction this
year was 53; non-fiction 25, and
juvenile 21. Seventeen new bor-
rowers were registered bringing
the total registration to 3444.

In A Social Way

Mrs. C. H. Baker of 1080 Arden
road, San Marino, entertained the
executive board of the Sierra
Madre Woman's Club on Tuesday
with a beautifully appointed lunch-
eon served beneath live oak trees
on the lawn of her home. White
baskets of pink and white lark-
spurs embedded in maidenhair
ferns centered the long table. Fol-
lowing luncheon, Mrs. C. A. Lo-
binger, past president of the Los
Angeles Friday Morning club,
gave a delightful talk on the life
of Shakespeare and the influence
of his writings, with a history
and synopsis of "The Merchant of
Venice." Among those present
were Mrs. Harriet Simpson
Wright, president emeritus; Mrs.
Edward E. Bacon, president; Mrs.
Frederick S. Ackley, Mrs. A. A.
Halsey, Mrs. Woodson F. Jones,
Mrs. John H. Robertson, Mrs. M.
R. McBurney, Mrs. William R.
Lees, Mrs. John H. Osgood, Mrs.
Elmer A. Green, Mrs. Waverly E.
Pratt, Mrs. H. B. Hersey; Mrs.
Emile E. Smith, Mrs. C. W. Jones
and Miss Virginia Jones.

Honoring Loretta Mae Delvecci,
who made her holy first com-
munion on Sunday at St. Rita's
Church, a dinner party was given
by Mr. and Mrs. Tony Delvecci
of 49 East Central avenue. Among
the guests were Mr. and Mrs.
L. Hauffman and daughters, Zedea
and Zella, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee
J. Warder of Monterey Park, and
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Craig.

Miss Frances De Temple of
536 Manzanita avenue, will en-
tain the Young Ladies' Sodality
club of the St. Rita Church, this
evening. A social evening will fol-
low the regular business meeting.

Col. and Mrs. H. B. Hersey of
575 North Hermosa avenue, en-
tertained Captain John Hauffman
and Miss Lee Tiddoh of Los
Angeles, at dinner on Sunday eve-
ning.

Mrs. J. S. Weber entertained
16 members of the Progressive
Club of Los Angeles, at her home,
352 East Alegria avenue, on Tues-
day afternoon. A business meet-
ing followed a dainty luncheon
served by the hostess. The club
is working to create a conva-
lescent home.

Mrs. Gertrude Karnopp of South
Baldwin avenue entertained Mr.
and Mrs. A. Garnett and Mrs.
Fred Crise of Alhambra, at dinner
on Saturday.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. William
Kinney, who recently located at
633 West Central avenue, Mr.
and Mrs. H. Randolph Wood of
255 North Hermosa avenue, en-
tertained at bridge on Saturday eve-
ning. Guests included Mr. and
Mrs. Howard C. Lieben, Mr. and
Mrs. Samuel Graham, Dr. and
Mrs. John L. Woehler, Mr. and
Mrs. Roland Adams and Mrs. C.
Hall Perry.

A farewell dinner party hon-
oring Mr. and Mrs. James Hedges,
who left this week for their home
in Mansfield, O., was given on
Sunday by Dr. Adda H. Brady
of 129 Esperanza avenue. Among
those present were Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Hedges of Los Angeles
and Mrs. Bertha Cox of Holly-
wood.

A delightful surprise dinner and
bridge party honoring the birth-
day of her cousin, Mrs. A. N.
Dingman, was given on Saturday
evening by Mrs. Stella Dennison
at her home, 297 West Central
avenue. The dining room was
sombrely lighted with the soft
glow of candles. A large birthday
cake formed the centerpiece for
the table and the May basket
motif was carried out throughout
the dinner. Novel place cards had
gifts of jewelry with her birth-
stone for each guest. The honoree
was presented with a lovely guest
prize, Mrs. W. Joyner Cornes was
winner of the first prize at bridge.
Mrs. H. H. Steinberger, second,
and Mrs. Wesley L. Keough, third.
The guests included Mrs.
M. Brown, Miss Caro Brown and
Miss M. McRae of Los Angeles;
Mrs. G. E. Morgan and Mrs.
W. Joyner Cornes of Monrovia;
Mrs. H. H. Steinberger, Miss Jean
Woodward, Mrs. Victor C. Hill,
Mrs. S. R. Norris and Mrs. J.
George Norris of Sierra Madre;
and Mrs. Wesley L. Keough of
Pasadena.

Betty Clark of 169 Lowell ave-
nue entertained ten of her friends
on Saturday with a beautifully
appointed birthday party, the oc-
casion honoring her thirteenth
birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brooks of
137 West Montecito avenue en-
tertained Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards
on Sunday. In the evening Mr.
and Mrs. Brooks and their guests
heard Evangelist John Brown at
Fullerton.

Mrs. M. Pearl Arthur and Mrs.
Ann Moody of 351 Mariposa ave-
nue, entertained Mr. and Mrs. J.
H. Armstrong of San Pedro, at
dinner on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Udell of
154 San Gabriel Court entertained
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Udell and
family of East Highland avenue,
at dinner on Sunday.

Honoring Miss Jessie Dunning
of 251 West Highland avenue,
who is moving with her mother,
Mrs. E. T. Dunning, to Alhambra,
the Friendship club of the Con-
gregational church will entertain
this afternoon with a garden
bridge tea and swimming party
at the home of Mrs. Warren O.
Preston, 503 West Montecito ave-
nue. Over 50 guests have been
invited. Hostesses for the after-
noon will be Mesdames William C.
Dalzell, Robert Smith, Arthur T.
Evans, Rudolph R. Hartman, Carl
Greese, Thomas Schwartz, Ross
Osterhoudt, Mrs. Clarence Barker
and Mrs. Preston.

Celebrating the birthdays of
Misses Frances and Edith De
Temple, a lovely birthday din-
ner was given at the De Temple home,
536 Manzanita avenue, last Sun-
day. A theatre party was en-
joyed in the evening. Guests in-
cluded Mr. and Mrs. Edward
Damery, Miss Anna Fluhr, Alfred
De Temple, Joseph Schumacher
and Jack Tibbins of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Etta M. Wright of 233
Santa Anita Court, entertained
Frank Woods of Ontario, and D.
F. Johnson of Glendale, at dinner
on Sunday.

PURCHASE OF CANYON
PICNIC SITE SENT
BACK TO COMMITTEE

Financial details involved in the
city's recent agreement to buy
two lots near the Canyon Park
swimming pool from Henry Isaacs
for parking purposes, were among
varied matters considered by the
City Council Wednesday night.
On advice of City Attorney Phil
Dodson, the matter was referred
to the finance committee for con-
sideration and report at the next
adjourned meeting, May 20.

A permit was granted to J. D.
McAndrews to do private street
work at 311 Auburn avenue. City
Clerk Elmer A. Green announced
that the monthly report of the
county department of health, the
water department report for
March, and the auditor's report
for March were on file and avail-
able for inspection.

Warrants amounting to \$13,-
889.50 were read and approved.

LOCAL BANK PRESIDENT
TO ATTEND CONVENTION

President H. E. Allen of the
Sierra Madre Savings Bank will
attend the fortieth anniversary
convention of the California
Bankers Association to be held
May 21, 22 and 23 in Los An-
geles where the Association was
founded in 1891.

A "homecoming" theme, based
on the birth of the Association
in Los Angeles four decades ago,
will be pronounced throughout
the extensive business and enter-
tainment program. Reviewing eco-
nomic highlights of the past 40
years in California, prominent
banking authorities of the State
will discuss current problems of
interest to bankers.

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Cleveland, Ohio	114.82
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Denver, Colo.	67.20
Des Moines, Iowa	81.52
Detroit, Mich.	109.92
Fort Worth, Texas	75.60
Galveston, Texas	78.00
Houston, Texas	75.60
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Louisville, Ky.	105.88
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Advertising Must Appeal To Ideals Kiwanis Is Told

Isabelle M. Hanbury, international lecturer, entertained the Kiwanis club at its Tuesday luncheon at the Woman's clubhouse in a delightfully frank manner. She chose as her subject salesmanship in advertising and pointed out the new methods that advertising agencies are using. She reminded the audience of the past method of these agencies in advertising the facts of their products and the new method of appealing to the ideals of the readers.

According to Miss Hanbury, the buyers are divided into five classes and the advertiser must, if he expects to reach all the people, offer ideas that will appeal to these different groups. She emphasized the fact that the buying public today had to be reached by more than facts—that they had to be reached by the ideas behind the facts.

President Waverly Pratt read an invitation from the Los Angeles Kiwanis club to the local club to attend a banquet at the Biltmore Hotel in honor of William O. Harris of that city who was elected president of the Kiwanis International at the recent convention held in Miami, Florida, Wednesday, May 20th.

The local club is organizing a ball team and the first practice game will be announced at a later date.

Guests at Tuesday's luncheon included Walter D. Lemmon and C. P. Davidson of Altadena.

—Jack Hosford.

WORK AMONG RED MEN TO FEATURE SESSION OF WOMAN'S SOCIETY

The prayer circle at 11:30 o'clock led by Mrs. Franklin Swift, using the lesson for the 19th day in the book of Daily Devotions, will open the meeting of the Congregational Woman's Society next Tuesday morning in the Ladies' Parlors of the church. A missionary box, prepared by Mrs. Hortense Hill and Mrs. E. D. Eurbank will be packed for shipping to the Brewer Hospital for negroes at Greenwood, S. C.

The luncheon at 12:30 will be conducted differently this time. Each one is asked to bring their own sandwiches and Mrs. Ralph Lord and Section II will serve a salad, tea and coffee. Reservations are to be made with Dr. Adda Brady at 191-1, by Monday evening.

The program, arranged by Mrs. A. J. Ware, will center around the Indian work of the Congregational Church. The music, arranged by Mrs. Myrtle Hill, will consist of Indian songs, sung by Miss Virginia Roess and Indian flute calls played by Miss Olive Sedgman. Mrs. R. L. Glasby will speak of the Indian work in Southern California and Mrs. F. W. Wilcox, National Field Secretary, will speak of the national work. Devotions will be led by Dr. May Laidlaw and the memory Scripture will be Mrs. E. W. Ward and Mrs. F. J. McCaslin. Everyone is invited.

OKLAHOMA FAMILY MOVES IN AND FOUR SISTERS LIVE HERE

Sierra Madre's many advantages and beautiful setting result in frequent family reunions here. With the arrival of Mrs. Bertha Bailey and son Joe, from Tulsa, Okla., last week, four sisters, for years widely separated, live again in the same community.

Two sisters of Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Jesse D. Jones and Mrs. T. J. Burns Sr., were already living in Sierra Madre when Mrs. Bailey and her young son took up residence at 55 East Laurel avenue last week, and a third, Mrs. P. M. Cox Sr., for a number of years a resident here, now lives in nearby Pasadena.

CANADIAN VISITOR TOURS IN A REMARKABLE CAR

Out of the Canadian Northwest there came recently a Buick sedan with a roadage of 270,000 miles, and still going strong. It is a 1923 seven-passenger model, owned by J. C. Hart, service man for a threshing machine company, who came to visit his parents and has gone back to Saskatchewan still driving his dependable car.

Save for new pistons and pins installed in 1927, and a new rubber mat for the driving compartment, the car is just as it was the day it left the Buick factory to pile up the immense mileage of something more than eleven times around the Equator.



IN YOUR GARDEN

CALIFORNIA NATIVE TREES AND SHRUBS

MANY of the native California shrubs and trees will grow in your garden even better than in their natural state. This is because you are able to give them a drink whenever they are in need of it. On the other hand they must not have an overabundance of water or they will die. Native plants thrive best where they will not get much petting. Some of the most useful native shrubs and trees are the following:

Ceanothus or Wild Lilac: One of the most desirable of the native shrubs, grown for its green foliage and fragrant and beautiful flowers. Blooms in the winter and early spring months. There are several varieties, the majority of them being blue but there are also white ones.

Cypress Macracarpa or Monterey Cypress: This is one of our most useful shrubs or trees. It is a native of our California coast-line but seems to thrive almost as well inland. It is used for hedges when trimmed or for windbreaks when allowed to grow tall; will also make a beautiful green specimen tree if planted by itself. It will grow in the poorest of soils and even in the sand at the beaches.

Heteromeles Californica or California Holly-berry: Everyone should grow their own holly berries for Christmas decorations. The shrub is attractive and the berries, when the plant has been irrigated, are larger and finer than they are grown in their state. They are generally used as specimen plants or in a shrubbery grouping.

California Sycamore: The most graceful of all our deciduous trees. Especially beautiful planted in clusters of three or more. The bark of the older tree is spotted with white like birch bark. At all seasons of the year the Sycamore has charm. In the winter the

LOCAL WRITER "HITS" WITH ANOTHER STORY

James Lockette Hill, Sierra Madre writer, appears again in Sport Story magazine with a new baseball yarn, "Spike Shy," in the June 25th issue. Mr. Hill's new story is about a baseball manager who has a dread of spikes, and who is called upon to show his players that he hasn't a streak of yellow. It is one of the best yarns the local writer has yet produced.

RETURNED SINGER OPENS STUDIO IN CROWN CITY

Edward Novis of Pasadena, teacher of singing, who recently returned from studying with some of the great masters of Europe, has opened a studio at 2193 Navarro avenue, Pasadena. Mr. Novis is offering special language courses of either French or Italian to all who enroll in his summer classes. He has sung all the leading tenor roles in the well-known opera companies of Italy. Among the masters with whom he has studied are Mario Sammarco of Italy, and Frank La Forge of New York.

ATTORNEY ESTABLISHES HEADQUARTERS HERE

A. L. Wissburg, well known San Diego attorney, who has resided with his wife and three children at 210 North Adams street, since last December, has opened a temporary branch office at the Sierra Madre Realty company, 27 North Baldwin avenue. Mr. Wissburg has been practicing law before the courts of California for 20 years. Since coming to Sierra Madre he has opened offices in Glendale. He can be reached by appointment by telephoning 32.

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EXPECT NEW RECORD FOR ORANGE EXPORTS DURING THIS SUMMER

California will ship over 2,000,000 boxes of citrus fruit to European countries during the summer months, according to an estimate of Dana C. King, orange sales manager of the California Fruit Growers Exchange.

"During the record export year of 1929, 1,600,000 boxes of citrus fruit were shipped to these countries from California," states Mr. King. "Last year, due to a smaller California orange crop, exports were greatly reduced. The present season promises to bring a new record in California orange exports though strong competition from other orange producing countries can be expected throughout the summer months."

"Present indications are that South Africa will export 2,350,000 boxes, practically all of which will be exported to European countries. This compares with orange shipments of 1929 of 1,100,000 boxes."

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NEW ARRIVALS ARE WELCOMED TO CITY

Newcomers welcomed to Sierra Madre the past week are William Leibowitz of 46 West Laurel avenue; L. E. Masinter of 153 Wilson avenue; H. L. Hall of 43 Windsor Lane; Mr. French of 7 Bella Vista Terrace; P. R. Penn of 160 West Highland avenue; Dana Wells of 49 South Baldwin avenue, and Anna T. Reed of 95 North Lima street.

CITY WELL REPRESENTED AT ONTARIO CONFERENCE

Among those who represented the Sierra Madre Congregational Church at the Congregational church convention at Ontario this week were Dr. May C. Laidlaw, Miss C. M. Fitch, A. N. Adams, Miss Rose Blake, Mrs. Fred Stass, Mrs. Sylvia Mehl, Mrs. Kittie Buie, Mrs. Hortense Hill, Mrs. Charles Gray, Mrs. Carrie Holden, Mrs. George B. Morgridge, Daniel Shaffer and Rev. A. O. Pritchard.

GOETHE CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT IN PASADENA

A vocal and instrumental concert will be given by the Pasadena Goethe club at the Shakespeare Clubhouse on Saturday evening at 7:45 p.m. Alvin Seliguelier is director of the mixed chorus of the club. Assisting the Pasadena Goethe club will be the Los Angeles Damen Chorus, Los Angeles Mixed Chorus, and singing organizations from Inglewood and Anaheim. Following the concert there will be dancing and refreshments. Everyone is invited.

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Seventeen players, including several ladies, took part in the simultaneous exhibition by Alexander V. Taylor, vice-president of the Pasadena Chess Club. In spite of the faulty arrangements and the strong opposition, Mr. Taylor made a very creditable showing by winning a majority of the games.

On Saturday, May 16th, Lindsay H. Heath, a leading expert of the Pasadena Chess Club, will play simultaneous against all who bring sets. Additional tables have now been secured which insure all players being comfortably seated and will allow play to proceed more quickly.

Mr. Heath is well known as a simultaneous player and those who oppose him will be sure of interesting games. Mr. Heath and his family have spent their summer vacations in Sierra Madre for several seasons and last year they remained over for the winter so they are now probably permanent residents.

YEAR'S FUNNIEST COMEDY COMES TO ARCADIA THEATRE

"Sit Tight," co-starring Winnie Lightner and Joe E. Brown, which is being shown today and tomorrow at Janet Malbon's Arcadia Theatre, is without doubt the funniest comedy of the year, a comedy, which young and old alike enjoy.

Sunday and Monday Ben Lyon and Raquel Torres head a marvelous cast in "Aloha." Ben Lyon plays a young San Francisco business man who is in the tropics to learn his father's copra business from the ground up. In spite of his better judgment he falls in love and marries Ilanu, a beautiful half-caste, played by Miss Torres and brings her home to his stormy old father and snobbish sister and disappointed sweetheart. She upsets a staid, dignified world and keeps the plot sizzling.

"She Got What She Wanted," which is being presented on Tuesday and Wednesday, has a reputation of being one of those rare comedies that panic you with laughter because it is so absurd. Betty Compson, Alan Hale, Lee Tracy, Gaston Glass, Dorothy Christy and Fred Kelsey are included in the cast.

By special request a return engagement of "Cimarron" has been arranged to be shown next Thursday, together with four high class vaudeville acts, the latter being a regular Thursday feature at the Arcadia.

LEGION BEGINS WORK OF CLEANING UP CEMETERY
Cleaning up of the lots in the Sierra Madre Cemetery in preparation for Memorial Day was begun on Monday under the direction of a committee of Legion Post 297. Henry Olsen of 34 North Baldwin avenue, wishes to remind all who have neglected to send their checks for the work, to do so, in order that the work may be finished in time for Decoration Day services.

There are now 46,000 busses engaged in common carrier business in the United States paying an annual tax bill in excess of \$30,000,000.

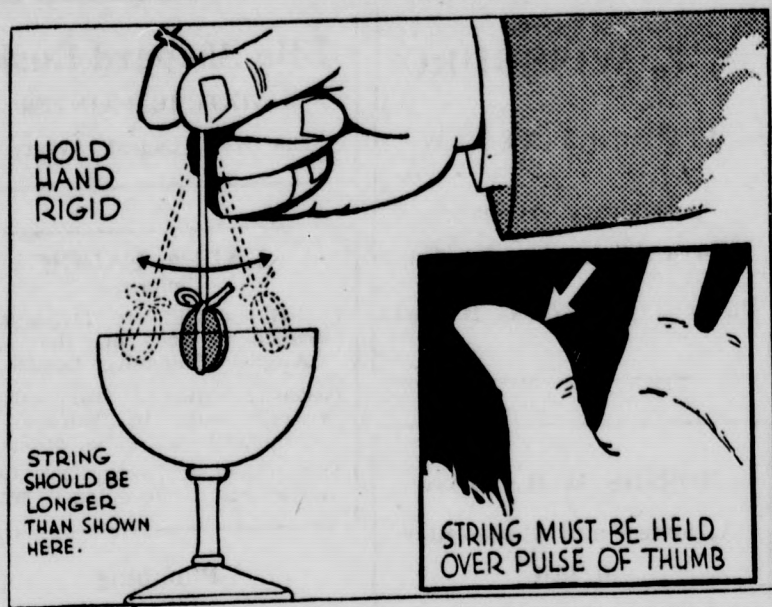


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TELLING THE TIME WITH A QUARTER, A STRING AND A GLASS



Tie a string around a quarter and hold the quarter suspended over and slightly inside a glass. Grasp the string between the index finger and the thumb, and place it directly over the pulse of the thumb. Hold your hand perfectly rigid, and the quarter will begin to swing to and fro like a pendulum. The arc made by the swinging quarter will slowly increase in width until the quarter strikes the side of the glass, and it will strike the number of times closest to the hour of the day. If the time should be twenty minutes past one, the quarter will strike the glass once, and should the time be quarter of two, the quarter will strike twice. It is necessary to hold the string over the pulse of the thumb, as this is the motivating force controlling the movements of the quarter.

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Fire Flames

By one of the boys

If you failed to see the ball game between some of our firemen and the Legion Leaguers on Monday, you missed a fine foot race. Some of the firemen are still tired and footsore from running the bases, as you'd understand from the score—Firemen 21, Legion 8.

It took only two firemen to trim the Legionnaires. Of course it was only a practice game. The star of the evening was our own "Ezzy" Hibbs.

Pratt, the opposing twirler, tossed one of his famous underhand breezers across the platter just to Lee's liking and he swatted it for a fungo that knocked Mayor Reavis off his Uskides. Regaining his equilibrium and his dignity, our Mayor then heaved the ball across the lot so far that Lee limped and groaned his way clear home, scoring the firemen's first run.

In the outfield our Connecticut Yankee was not so hot. The only reason he didn't play the entire outfield was because he forgot to bring along a bag of Mail Pouch. The only other firemen to appear at the ball grounds was Heasley and the best he could do with Wave's benders was to make a few tickles, which to an old base ball player is a foul tip. However, Jim made several spectacular catches in the outfield that were very costly to the sad soldiers. The outer works were well taken care of with Jim and Lee out there.

This playground at the school will surely prove a very popular gathering place. It is just the place to loosen up the old muscles. Our Chief says that he will not be among the players. Well, if he intends to play like he did last year when we attempted to play, we won't coax him into any of the games.

Firemen are as fond of apple pie as preachers and a lot of us

Favorite Dishes Of Sierra Madreans

MRS. Nestor A. Young's Chicken Pie is a favorite with about every Sierra Madrean who has tried it. Here it is:

- 1 can tuna (13 oz.)
 - 2 carrots, diced (1½ cups)
 - 2 medium potatoes, diced
 - 1 medium onion, diced
 - 1 cup green peas
 - 1 tablespoon butter
 - 1 tablespoonful flour
 - 1 cup milk
 - 1 teaspoonful salt
 - ½ teaspoonful paprika
 - 1-8 teaspoonful pepper
- Boil vegetables together in a little salted water until tender. Make white sauce of the butter, flour and milk; mix with tuna. Line baking dish with pastry. Alternate layers of vegetables with creamed tuna. Cover with crust and bake in moderate oven.

were in luck this week. Our wives, otherwise the Ladies Auxiliary, served dinner for the Angeles Forest Protective Association convention at the Masonic Temple on Tuesday evening and apple pie was one of the big numbers on the program. The homes of nearly all of the firemen were therefore well stocked with apple pie and apple sauce after the bakings and we've been having a sort of Roman holiday all week.

At Friday's meeting a question was raised as to whether Don Hosford should be fined for missing or being late on an alarm. He was driving the Norris truck on Central avenue when the siren blew for the last fire. His alibi for being late at the fire was that the truck made so much noise he did not hear the siren or know of the blaze until told of it by Cy Young. But the

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Talented Artists Of Sierra Madre On Notable Program

The San Gabriel Valley Opera Reading Club closed its season last Saturday morning in the Womans' Club Auditorium, at Monrovia, before a large assemblage of music-lovers and distinguished guests. Two splendid programs were given. In the morning Ambrose Thomas "Hamlet" was presented for the first time west of Chicago, with analysis by the Club's director, Frederick Vance Evans (who also assumed the role of the "Ghost") and the star role of "Ophelia" in song and dramatic portrayal by Madame Ellen Beach Yaw, assisted by two of her talented pupils, Miss Ethelyn Baldrige as the "Queen" and Mr. Donald Edgett as "Hamlet."

The following officers and directors were unanimously elected to serve for the ensuing season: Mrs. W. G. Wheatley, Azusa, president; Mrs. Glenn B. Watson, Arcadia, vice-president; Mrs. W. J. Cornes, Monrovia, secretary, and Mrs. J. E. Pottenger, Monrovia, treasurer. Mrs. William Fleet Palmer, Mrs. S. O. Beckman and Mrs. Frederick Vance Evans, directors Monrovia district; Mrs. G. B. Shoemaker, Glendora district; Mrs. F. S. Hayden, Azusa district; Mrs. Robert Beach Moore, Arcadia district; Mrs. W. A. Easton, El Monte district; Mrs. W. M. Warren, Covina district and Miss Edna R. Green, Sierra Madre district.

The luncheon speaker was Walter David of Los Angeles, editor of the Music World; program musicians were Miss Lala Fagg, Sierra Madre violinist, accompanied by Mrs. Grace Howard Mullen. Mrs. H. Randolph Wood, the delightful singer of Oscar Rasbach's songs, was accompanied by the noted composer himself.

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Canyon Park Notes

By Mrs. James C. Heasley

GORDON B. WOLFE of Vista Circle Drive returned Monday from a four-day fishing trip into the High Sierras, bring back several fine trout.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Dewey Sr., left Monday for Gilman Hot Springs as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shippey. On their return the party will stop at Riverside.

Mrs. William S. Stevenson of Glendale, a former resident of Canyon ArPk, was a luncheon guest of Mrs. Frank Cox on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Corum of Sturtevant Drive left Wednesday for a two weeks' vacation at Murrieta Hot Springs.

Week-end guests of Mrs. Gordon B. Wolfe were her mother, Mrs. R. A. Gilbert, and her niece, June Hale, of Los Angeles.

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STREET ASSESSMENTS NOW DUE AT CITY HALL

Street Bond assessment bills, due May 15 and delinquent July 2, have been sent out by City Clerk Elmer A. Green for six-month interest payments, which are payable to City Treasurer C. J. Pegler.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

SHERIFF'S SALE
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CITIZENS SAVINGS BANK OF PASADENA, a corporation, Plaintiff

vs.
PAULINE L. GARLAND (Formerly Pauline L. Holbert) and JOHN DOE GARLAND, her husband; SECURITY-FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES, a National Banking Association; CLARA C. PAUL, C. E. GRAY, WILLARD H. CLARK, JOYCE WILSON, JANE DOE, RICHARD ROE, MARY ROE, JAMES MOE, SARAH MOE, NUMBER ONE COMPANY, a corporation, NUMBER TWO COMPANY, a corporation, NUMBER THREE COMPANY, a corporation, Defendants.

ORDER OF SALE AND DECREE OF FORECLOSURE AND SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1931, in the above entitled action, wherein CITIZENS SAVINGS BANK OF PASADENA, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against PAULINE L. GARLAND (Formerly Pauline L. Holbert), and JOHN DOE GARLAND, her husband; et al, defendants, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1931, for the sum of Ten thousand eight hundred and twenty-three dollars and eight cents (\$10,823.08) gold coin or lawful money of the United States, which said decree was, on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1931, recorded in April, A. D. 1931, in Book 8, Judgment Book 780 of said Court, at page 5, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows: The east one hundred forty-five (145) feet of Lot Nine (9) of Madison Avenue Heights, as per map recorded in Book 8, Page 137 of Maps in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That, on Monday, the 25th day of May, A. D. 1931, at 12:00 o'clock, M. of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash gold coin or lawful money of the United States.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1931.
WM. I. TRAEGER,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By CHAS. KAPLAN,
Deputy Sheriff.
CARTER & WEBSTER,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
1, 8, 15, 22

CANYON FOLKS WANT ANNIVERSARY EVENTS AT SWIMMING POOL

A committee was appointed to confer with Harold D. Carew, president of the Historical society, to ask inclusion of events for Canyon Park municipal swimming pool in Sierra Madre's semi-centennial celebration this summer, at the meeting of the Canyon Improvement Association last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Petzel in Canyon Park.

J. R. Thompson and S. Petzel were appointed to call the Council's attention to complaints of the members against the unsightly condition caused from placing tin cans, garbage and rubbish along Canyon roadways.

W. C. Ravening and J. R. Thompson were appointed to draft resolutions expressing appreciation to the City Council for the contemplated purchase of Lot D for a "breathing space" at the Canyon Park pool, and to Henry Isaacs for civic spirit shown in holding the lot until such purchase could be made.

Refreshments were served following the meeting.

TROJAN BAND WILL GIVE GREEK THEATRE CONCERT

The Trojan Concert Band of which Leland Auer of Sierra Madre is a member, will present a program of formal band music in the outdoor Greek Theatre, Vermont Canyon, Griffith Park, Los Angeles, on Sunday, May 17 at 2 p.m., according to announcement of Harold Roberts, director of the department of musical organizations at the University of Southern California.

At The Churches

Bethany Church

William Duncan Ogg, Pastor.
Roy F. Stevens, Director of music.
Roy Edwards, Superintendent of Bible school.

Miss Helen King—Teacher of Women's class.
Frank E. Gibson—Teacher Men's class.

9:30 a.m.—Bible school, classes for all ages.
6:30 p.m.—Christian Endeavor meeting.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship. Sermon, "The Everlasting Arms."
7:30—Evening service; Old Gospel songs. Sermon "From the Depths to the Heights."

Wednesday, 9 A.M.—Miss King's Bible class for women.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—A mid-week service worthy of your attendance.

Christian Science

Corner Highland and Hermosa
First Church of Christ Scientist of Sierra Madre is a branch of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Sunday service.
Subject for Sunday, May 17th, "Mortals and Immortals."

8 p.m. Wednesday—Testimony meeting.
Reading room open Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons from 2 until 4 o'clock.

Full Gospel Church

33 East Central Ave.
Earl Jones, Pastor
On Thursday night Evangelistic Services and Prayer meeting. Sunday school classes for all ages, with Lester Wilson, superintendent, at 9:45.

Earl Jones, pastor, will bring the message Sunday evening.

St. Rita's Church

Rev. Hyacinth Clarey, C.P., Pastor.
Sunday Masses at 7 and 9 a.m. Week day masses at 7 a.m.

The Church of the Ascension

(Episcopal)
8 a.m.—Dean Bode will officiate at the Communion Service.
11 a.m.—Morning prayer and address (Reynold E. Blight).

Congregational Church

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard, pastor.
Convers L. Twycross, Supt.
Mrs. Myrtle G. Hill, choir leader.
Gustave R. Herd, orchestra leader.

Pilgrim Holiness Church

26 Windsor Lane
Rev. Katharine Hollowell, Pastor
Sunday, 10 a.m., Sabbath school.
E. P. Stuart, superintendent.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship.

Subject, "Credentials of the Bible."
Thursday, May 21, 7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout leader, O. W. Hampton, with his young people, will conduct the service.

Saturday, 1:30 p.m.—Meeting for children, age 4 to 7 years.
Saturday, 2:45—Meeting for children age 7 to 12.



Rex Stanberry of 106 North Baldwin avenue left last week for a vacation in the North. He will not return until next October.

Mrs. Louise Roe and son Thomas, and daughter Bernice, of 288 Mariposa avenue, were dinner guests on Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. James Falon of Los Angeles.

Sampson Armstrong visited his mother, Mrs. Olivia Manier of Alhambra, on Sunday.

Miss Leah P. Fletcher of 634 West Highland avenue has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. H. Acker and son of Long Beach spent Monday with Mrs. Acker's sister, Mrs. D. L. Manning of 650 West Montecito avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Laidlaw of 83 North Sunnyside avenue spent Mother's Day in Long Beach as the guests of Mr. Laidlaw's brother and sister, Charles and Margaret Laidlaw.

Christina and Danolida Urquhar and Roy Prebey of Pasadena, were guests at the home of Mrs. H. F. Barton, 252 Ramona avenue, on Sunday.

Many music lovers from Sierra Madre were in attendance on Saturday morning at the performance of "Hamlet" presented by the San Gabriel Valley Opera Reading club. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rasbach, Mrs. H. Randolph Wood, Miss Edna R. Green, Mrs. J. M. Steinberger, Mrs. C. J. Pegler, Miss Laura Cadmus, Donald Barnfather and Mr. and Mrs. G. Ferris.

Mrs. Elizabeth Scantlebury of San Diego was the guest last Tuesday of Dr. May Culbertson Laidlaw, 83 North Sunnyside avenue.

Col. and Mrs. H. B. Hersey of 575 North Hermosa avenue, attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Dr. and Mrs. Frank K. Ledyard of Oak Knoll, Pasadena, on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clara Brown of 38 West Laurel avenue has been ill this week with tonsillitis.

Mrs. George Moran of 162 Grove street was ill several days last week.

Mrs. Louis Karpf of 375 East Grand View avenue, left on Tuesday for Murietta Springs, where she will have a complete rest for two weeks.

Miss Sarah Baldwin, who has been a house guest of Mrs. E. D. Burbank of 42 East Carter avenue, for the past three months, has returned to her home in Oak Park, Ill.

Miss Fidelia Carbell of Long Beach, was a guest at the A. N. Adams home, 40 North Lima street, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Stass and Miss Ruth Stass of Hollywood, were the week-end guests of Mrs. N. W. Tarr of 247 West Montecito avenue.

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ALHAMBRA PLANS BIG CELEBRATION OF ITS 50TH BIRTHDAY

A special invitation has been tendered residents of Sierra Madre to attend the Pageant of Progress in Alhambra on Wednesday, May 20th, a celebration commemorating that city's Golden Birthday Anniversary. This spring Alhambra is 50 years old and the city has gone to extremes to celebrate the occasion.

The Pageant of Progress will depict the march of progress during the past half century in styles of dress and vehicles. There is to be an ox-drawn prairie schooner, a hand-drawn fire apparatus from the collection of the Pony Express Museum, a stage coach in which will ride some of the distinguished pioneers of the Southland, and many other historical features.

After the parade at 10 a.m. the crowd will picnic at noon at the City Park where they will hear Lieutenant-Governor Merriam, John Steven McGroarty, and Assemblyman Frederick F. Houser. In the afternoon there will be an Athletic Carnival at the High School Stadium.

As a climax to the fiesta there will be a free barbecue at the Western Air Express Air terminal on Valley boulevard beginning at 6 o'clock in the evening. There will also be dancing, with music furnished by a navy band and the Chamber of Commerce 30-piece civic orchestra.

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Further Information, Blue 146

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(Continued from First Page)

Robinson gave two dance numbers. The whole program was delightful and well received.

Mrs. E. E. Bacon, president, presided over the luncheon tables and presented Colonel H. B. Hersey who gave an interesting and educational talk on "Ballooning Through France," also relating his experience in an electrical storm during his first ascent, the story of his first solo flight and of his first night flight.

Mrs. Bacon introduced Rev. Father Hyacinth Clarey who presented Miss Isabel Hanbury.

The delicious luncheon was prepared by Mrs. M. R. McBurney and the lovely stage decorations by Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Conard.

Miss Hanbury talked entertainingly on the subject of "Contrasts," giving her deductions on interesting women from experiences of 19 years of public life in the United States and Europe.

Past Presidents at the table of the president, Mrs. Edward E. Bacon, were Mrs. Hilda Ingraham Baird, Mrs. E. T. Pierce, Mrs. J. M. Steinberger, Mrs. Gilbert S. Bovard, Mrs. Fletcher White, Miss Harriet Grant and Mrs. John H. Robertson.

Mrs. George Lehner announced that there will be a garden-bridge tea held on the first Wednesday in June, June the 3rd. Save the date! The community is invited.

TOJAN WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET AT MONROVIA

The San Gabriel Valley Trojan Woman's Club of the University of Southern California will hold its third meeting on Wednesday evening, May 20, at the home of Mrs. Asenath Shaw Bailey, 328 W. Palm avenue, Monrovia. Dean Mary Sinclair Crawford will be guest of honor and speaker of the evening. All Trojan women are invited who have attended the University of Southern California one semester or longer or who have taken summer session of metropolitan work.

NEW SYSTEM STOCK AND ARRANGEMENT AT GROCERY

Resnick's Grocery, 78 West Central avenue, Sierra Madre, has chosen the present period to add new lines and adopt a progressive modern selling policy. The store has been completely redecorated and remodeled. An entire new stock of staple produce, with many fancy lines, has been put in, and this week the firm announced opening of serve yourself system.

Birthday Greetings

THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans:

Robert Young	May 13
Bernard Wynne	May 13
Henry Olsen	May 16
Charles Young	May 16
Nora E. Mesecar	May 16
C. Hall Perry	May 16
John Raymond	May 16
John Bridgland	May 16
Le Roy Embree	May 17
Mrs. C. E. McGue	May 17
Mrs. Sylvia Merrill	May 18
Robert A. W. Cox	May 18
Mrs. C. M. Barker	May 20
Mrs. Wm. J. Adwell	May 20
Kendall Heasley	May 20
Donald Wood	May 21
Marian Marcotte	May 21

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W. A. Morgan of Oakland, was the guest of J. W. Jameson of 481 West Highland avenue, on Monday.

Fred Osti of 271 North Grove street received his naturalization papers last Tuesday. He took the examination last December in Pasadena.

Mrs. M. H. Hill, well-known dietitian of Washington, D.C., is a house guest at the home of Mrs. Cora O. Coleman, 633 West Montecito avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Prosper J. Grevillot and children of 610 West Alegria avenue, spent Sunday at Seal Beach.

Mrs. Ross Swigart of Austin, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Seagraves of Glendale and Mrs. Harry C. Scott of 24 West Central avenue spent Monday at the Mission Inn, Riverside.

Lyle Kellogg and Joe Belohlavek Jr., spent Sunday at Dry Lake.

Mrs. Grace V. Rowell of Mesa, Ariz., arrived last Friday to visit her father, George H. Van Antwerp of 109 South Lima street. She will return this week-end.

Kenneth Pickett and relatives from Long Beach spent Saturday and Sunday fishing at Big Bear Lake.

Mrs. Walter Annas and small daughter Grace, of 24 Park street, left on Friday for a six months' visit with her father and other relatives and friends in Germany.

Mrs. William Carson Shaw and Mrs. F. J. Hart will be hostess next Thursday afternoon to the Dickens Fellowship club at "Hartwood," the home of the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludy Langer and family of Los Angeles were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Langer of 539 East Grand View avenue, on Sunday.

Dr. M. A. Everett of 153 Santa Anita Court enjoyed Sunday at the Venice oil fields.

Mrs. L. E. Wheeler of 409 Alta Vista Drive and Mrs. Edna Brown of Glendale returned Sunday evening from a two week's vacation in San Diego.

Mrs. William Fowler of Tombstone, Ariz., and Mrs. Hastings of Pasadena were guests on Sunday of E. J. Westervelt of 715 Woodland Drive.

Mrs. Marie P. Weston of 273 Laurel avenue is visiting this week in Long Beach.

Edward Dailey of U. S. Naval Station, San Diego, spent the week-end with his father, James W. Dailey, of 694 West Alegria avenue.

H. Edwards of the U. S. Saratoga and Mrs. Fleta Mapes of Sycamore Place, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Albrecht, 687 West Alegria avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Waverly E. Pratt and son Lorne spent the weekend at their cabin at Lake Arrowhead. Their guests were Mr. Pratt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Pratt, of Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Hortense T. Manlove of St. Louis, are visiting this week with Mrs. Manlove's sister, Miss Leah P. Fletcher of 634 West Highland avenue.

Jay Cooper of the North Baldwin Safeway Store has been transferred to Pomona. P. R. Penn of Long Beach has taken his place here.

Ruth Wheeling attended a concert of the Pomona College Glee Club at Pomona on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pickett and family of 201 West Highland avenue, visited Mr. Pickett's grandmother, Mrs. A. G. Pickett at San Bernardino on Sunday.

Dr. May C. Laidlaw and William Laidlaw of 83 North Sunnyside avenue entertained their house guests, Miss Elizabeth Johnston of Highland Park, and Miss Elizabeth Culbertson of Glendale, at the Ramona Pageant last Saturday.

Beth and Leota Manning of 650 West Montecito avenue, spent the week-end with their aunt in Burbank and attended the John Burroughs' operetta.

R. R. Hartman of 460 North Lima street, is leaving today for June Lake where he will spend the week-end with the Sunkist Movie Makers.

Mrs. Jennie Whitaker of Asheville, N.C., is the house guest of Miss Finis Eyster, 197 North Adams street. Mrs. Whitaker is pastor of the Pilgrim Holiness Church at Crosswell, Mich., and is well-known for her evangelistic work throughout the United States. She recently suffered a nervous breakdown and has come to Sierra Madre to rest.

George Schurmann of 50 Morton avenue left on Tuesday for Alvarado Hot Springs.

Daniel Shaffer of 101 East Central avenue attended the Congregational Church conference in Ontario, the early days of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Fleming have moved to 311 North Auburn avenue.

Charles Taylor Jr., spent Saturday fishing at Puddingstone Dam.

Robert Shaffer and George Merriam of Pomona College were the week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wheeling of 101 East Central avenue.

H. Greger attended a business meeting and dinner of the San Gabriel Valley Jewelers' Association at Pasadena on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jessica H. Wright of 265 East Central avenue, will leave this evening for a month's vacation from her duties as postmaster. She will visit her son, William B. Wright, and wife and small grandson, William Jr., at her son's Deeth, Nevada, ranch.

Ralph Stewart spent Wednesday in San Diego.

Friends of Dr. George W. Groth of 94 North Baldwin avenue, will be very pleased to learn that he is out of danger and is steadily gaining in strength each day. He has been able to sit up a few days this week.

Mrs. Josephine Fraiberg, who has been visiting her brother, H. Greger, left on Saturday for a visit in El Paso, Texas.

GOOD HOUSEWIVES IN SIERRA MADRE FORESTERS BELIEVE

Delegates to a convention of the Angeles Forest Protective Association who attended a convention here Tuesday evening, carried the word back to 14 communities adjoining the forest that Sierra Madre is a city of good housewives. Just 120 of them sat down to a splendidly cooked dinner served piping hot by the women of the Firemen's Auxiliary before the business of the convention was taken in hand at the Masonic Temple.

The feature of the gathering was the presentation of the James McLaughlin Bissel gold medal to Spence D. Turner, Los Angeles County Forester, who won the award for outstanding conservation work.

Representatives of the 14 communities in the district were welcomed by Mayor H. Clay Reavis. In the absence of Fire Chief W. D. Richards, Assistant Chief George Norris presided. Speakers included Supervisor William V. Mendenhall of the Angeles forest, Bruce Coulter, Arroyo Seco district, W. P. Hogue of Mount Wilson Observatory and V. P. Vetter, Angeles forest fire dispatcher.

Reforestation of Charlton Flats now being converted into a recreation center, was discussed by Gilbert Skutt, park superintendent of Pasadena.

The foresters went on record as opposed to any bounty on wildcats, which are said to prey chiefly on rodents and other destructive small animals.

Earl J. Lynde, Sierra Madre city engineer, has been asked to attend a meeting of the Flood Control Commission next Tuesday in Los Angeles.

Ben Lyon of 224 Santa Anita Court, has become associated with the Brown-Nash Automobile Agency of El Monte.

The Dickens Fellowship luncheon, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. F. J. Hart next Thursday, has been postponed until May 28.

Mrs. A. A. Halsey, a former resident, left on Wednesday for her home in Wheatland, Calif., following a two-day visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jones, 49 East Alegria avenue.

Edward Visnow, who has been spending the past six months in Sierra Madre, left this week for Sioux City, Ia., where he will visit before returning to his home in Valparaiso, Ind.

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COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, May 15—Sierra Madre Firemen's Auxiliary, at club quarters, City Hall.

MONDAY, May 17—American Legion, Post 297, at City Hall. Chamber of Commerce, at City Hall.

Order of Eastern Star, at Masonic Temple. Nuntius club: Juniors, at J. O. Smith home, 609 West Central avenue; Seniors, at R. S. Jensen home, 561 West Grand View avenue.

TUESDAY, May 18—Kiwanis Club, 12:10, Woman's Clubhouse.

WEDNESDAY, May 19—Boy Scout Troop No. 2, at St. Rita's auditorium. Parent-Teacher's Association, at Sierra Madre Grammar School.

THURSDAY, May 20—Boy Scout Troop No. 1, at Congregational Church. Eteri Girls' Club. Men's Community Club, at Congregational Church.

Mrs. Charles Fenner has sold her home at 258 East Alegria avenue and moved on Monday to 4227 Marmion Way, Los Angeles.

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard was elected to the board of directors of the Congregational Church conference, at Ontario this week.

Mrs. R. Romaine Hill of Long Beach is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ella A. Cadmus, 601 Woodland Drive, for the summer.

Miss Elizabeth Steinberger, principal of the Sierra Madre school, and Mrs. Ruth Klemme Bovard, recently elected trustee, attended the Southern California School Trustees convention at U. C. L. A. last Saturday.

Mrs. Carl Jappe of Pasadena entertained 12 guests at a delightfully appointed bridge luncheon at the El aPdre Inn on Friday afternoon. Guests from Sierra Madre were Mesdames Samuel Graham, Howard Lieben, Harvey Steinberger, Lyle Anderson, Victor C. Hill and C. Hall Perry, and Miss Jean Woodward.

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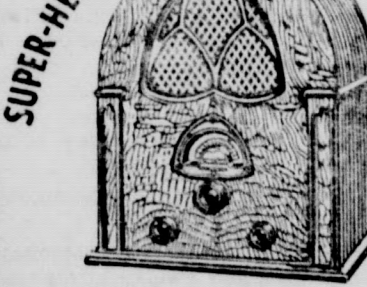
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SERIES OF SERMON DRAMAS NEARS END

"Gabbatha," two-character episode of Biblical days, presenting a scene between Claudia Procula (played by Ada Fowler) and her husband, Pontius Pilate (C. A. Wolf) will be the sermon drama presented Sunday night by the young people of Congregational Church.

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard will give a short sermon preceding the play, which depicts a Biblical episode following Pilate's sentence of death to Jesus. The play takes its name from the Hebrew word for the place where the Romans passed judgment.

The series of sermon dramas, which has proven increasingly popular, will end on the last Sunday in May.

Monterey Park will hold a special election on June 30 to vote for or against annexation to Alhambra.

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Garden City Jam All Flavors, 2 1/2 lb. Jar		25c
Quail Tomatoes No. 2 1/2 Size	1 can	10c
Iris Corn, No. 2 Size, White or Yellow 3 Cans		47c
La Nora Stringless Beans No. 2 Can		10c
Quail Brand Peas, String Beans, Corn No. 2 Size	2 cans for	25c
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